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PATENT APPLICATION

Inventor(s): **Ronald de Man**Case Name/No.: **1**Serial No.: **10/615568**Group Art Unit: **2616**Filing Date: **July 8, 2003**Examiner: **A. P. Gandhi**Title: **Multi-Bridge For A Plurality Of Mutually Different Subnetworks**

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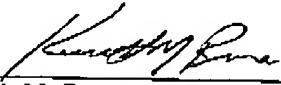
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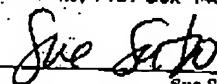
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